Constitution of NDC sub-Committees

1980. SHRI MOOLCHAND MEENA:
DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Prime Minister on the conclusion of two days' National Development Council meet decided to constitute two NDC Sub-Committees on farming and State debts to devise ways to give a fillip to the overall economic growth;

(b) if so, whether these two Sub-Committees were Constituted under the Chairmenship of Agriculture and Finance Minister;

(c) if so, whether these two Committees would submit their report in a very short time and after receiving reports, the Planning Commission would include them in the approach paper of the Eleventh Five Year Plan; and

(d) if so, the details of the reports made by these two groups?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN): (a) and (b) The NDC agreed to form a Sub-Committee under Minister of Agriculture for drawing up implementable action plans in agriculture and related issues. It was also decided that a Committee will be set up separately under the Finance Minister to examine relevant issues relating to the debt burden of States and debt relief with reference to their debt outstanding against the National Small Saving Fund (NSSF).

(c) The Committees will be requested to submit their reports in time for the next meeting of the NDC. The reports of these two Committees will be considered at the time of 11th Five Year Plan.

(d) Does not arise.

Meeting of NDC

†1981. SHRI R.S. GAVAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a meeting of National Development Council was held on 27th and 28th June in Vigyan Bhavan;

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.